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PART TWO
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STARRING JUBILEE & ROBIN



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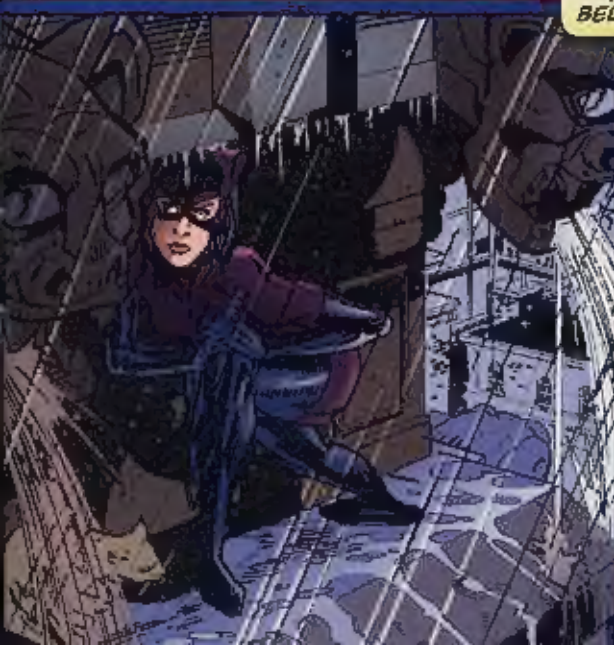
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EVERYBODY'S
BACK--



--WHERE
THEY
BELONG...





...INCLUDING
ME.

MING'S COZYING
UP. I'M NOT HOP-
PING UNIVERSES
AS ACCESS. I
CAN BE A NORMAL
GUY AGAIN.

IT'S
SUCH A
BEAUTIFUL
NIGHT. THIS
WAS A WON-
DERFUL IDEA,
AXEL.

WELL,
IT'S THE
LEAST I
OWE YOU...

TWO SIDES OF THE SAME COIN

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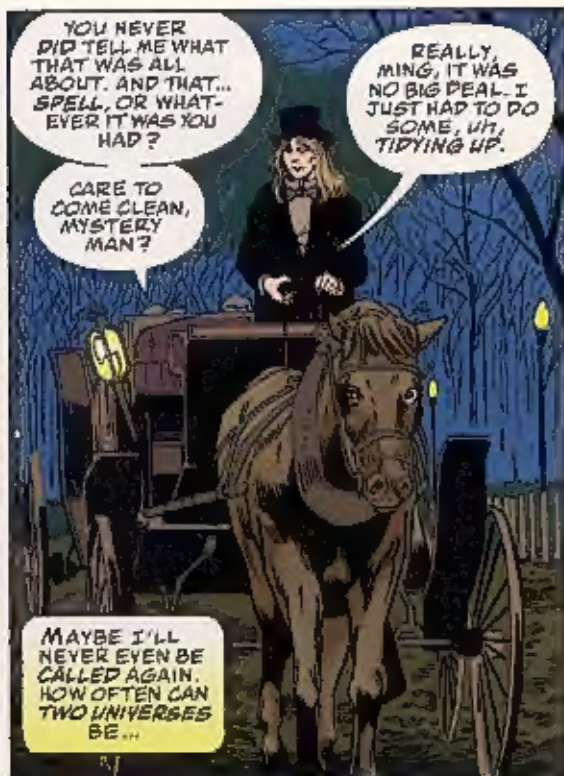


...AFTER BOLTING OUT ON YOU IN YOUR PARENTS' RESTAURANT LAST WEEK.*

YOU MAKE IT HARD TO STAY MAD AT YOU, ESPECIALLY WITH A CENTRAL PARK CARRIAGE RIDE.

LIFE'S BACK TO THE EVERYDAY-- HANGING OUT WITH MING, BUCKLING DOWN AT GRAD SCHOOL.

* ALL ACCESS #1.



YOU NEVER DID TELL ME WHAT THAT WAS ALL ABOUT. AND THAT... SPELL, OR WHAT-- EVER IT WAS YOU HAD?

CARE TO COME CLEAN, MYSTERY MAN?

REALLY, MING, IT WAS NO BIG DEAL. I JUST HAD TO DO SOME, UH, TIDYING UP.

MAYBE I'LL NEVER EVEN BE CALLED AGAIN. HOW OFTEN CAN TWO UNIVERSES BE...



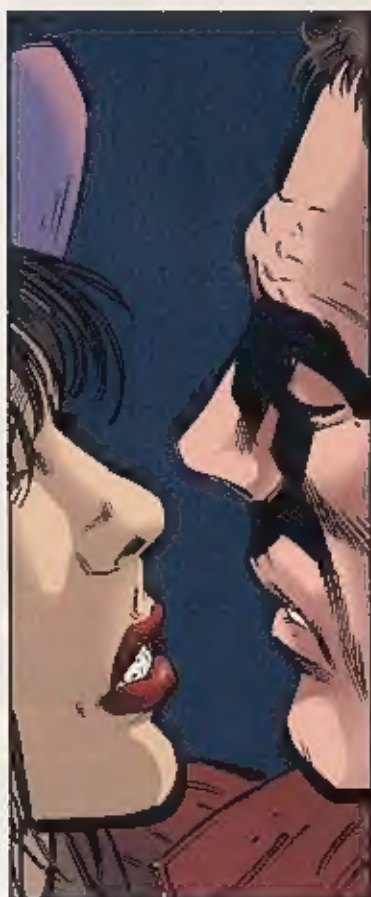
...IN DANGER?

THE SKY'S--!

PLEASE, NOT SOMETHING ELSE. NOT NOW!

FIREWORKS, AXEL!

JUST FIREWORKS...





I NEVER
THOUGHT I'D
SEE YOU
AGAIN!

AXEL?



AXEL, WHAT'S GOING
ON? WHO IS THIS?

I,
um...

...uh, I
REALLY
DON'T--

DOES SHE
HAVE ANYTHING TO
DO WITH WHY YOU
DISAPPEARED
LAST WEEK?
AXEL--?



"TIDYING UP," huh? YOU
WANT TO EXPLAIN?

I CAN EXPLAIN
EVERYTHING.
JUBILATION
LEE. PLEASED
TA MEETCHA.

DON'T
SAY

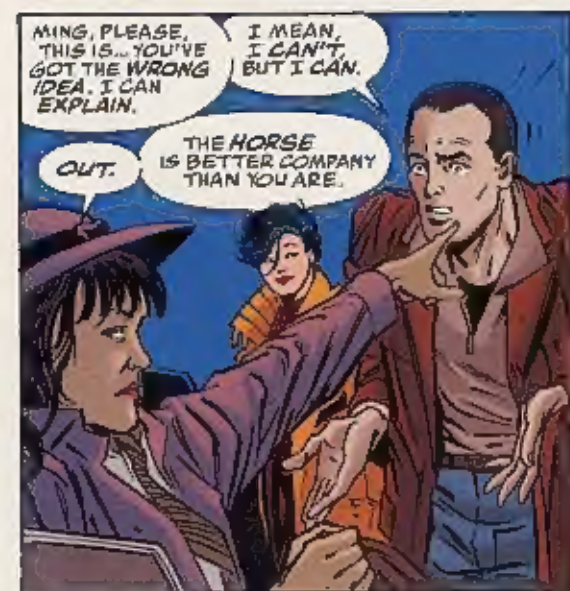
ANOTHER
WORD.



I SEE.
THAT'S
THE WAY
IT IS.

FOR GOD'S SAKE,
AXEL. SHE'S JUST
A TEENAGER! AND
WITH A WEIRD FASHION
SENSE BESIDES!

HEY!



MING, PLEASE,
THIS IS... YOU'VE
GOT THE WRONG
IDEA. I CAN
EXPLAIN.

I MEAN,
I CAN'T,
BUT I CAN.

OUT.

THE HORSE
IS BETTER COMPANY
THAN YOU ARE.



THANKS.

THANKS
A LOT.

JEEZ,
CUT ME A
LITTLE SLACK.
ALL I DID WAS
SAY HI.

YEAH, WELL,
MY RELATIONSHIP'S
SHAKY ENOUGH
WITHOUT YOU
CAUSING ME
MORE GRIEF.

WHAT ARE
YOU DOING HERE,
ANYWAY?



KIND OF A LONG STORY, BUT I GUESS YOU COULD CALL IT A FIELD TRIP. I GO TO SCHOOL WITH THOSE GUYS.



UNIQUE SCHOOL UNIFORMS YOU'VE GOT.

UNIQUE SCHOOL WE'VE GOT.



SO LISTEN...

...THE REASON I WAS SO EXCITED TO SEE YOU IS BECAUSE I WANT YOU TO TAKE ME BACK. TO THE OTHER UNIVERSE, I MEAN.

YOU CAN DO THAT, RIGHT?

UH...COME AGAIN?



I AM SPEAKING ENGLISH HERE. IT'S SIMPLE-- I WANT TO GO BACK.

I WANT TO SEE ROBIN AGAIN. WHEN THAT WHOLE CONTEST OR WHATEVER WAS OVER...

...I DIDN'T EVEN GET A CHANCE TO SAY GOODBYE TO HIM.

SEEMS LIKE A LOT OF THE OTHER HEROES DON'T REALLY REMEMBER YOU EXCEPT IN A HAZY, COSMIC SORTA WAY, BUT I KEPT A DIARY OF THE WHOLE THING.

JUST KINDA LUCKY I RAN INTO YOU, HUH?

PAIGE? WHAT DO YOU THINK JUBES IS GETTING HERSELF INTO OVER THERE?

AH DON'T KNOW, EVERETT. AND AH DON'T KNOW IF I WANNA KNOW.



SO HOW 'BOUT IT? YOU CAN DO IT, YEAH?

I CAN DO IT, BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN I'M GOING TO.

COME ON, WHY NOT?



I CAN JUMP FROM ONE UNIVERSE TO THE OTHER, BUT IT'S NOT A TOY. THE IDEA IS THAT I'M SUPPOSED TO KEEP THIS UNIVERSE SEPARATE FROM THAT ONE.

IF THE UNIVERSES BECOME UNBALANCED BECAUSE SOMEONE'S NOT WHERE THEY'RE SUPPOSED TO BE...

...BELIEVE ME, YOU DON'T WANT THE UNIVERSES COMING TOGETHER AGAIN.

BECAUSE THEY MIGHT JUST STAY THAT WAY, MELDED TOGETHER IN AN AMALGAM.

YOU COULD BE MORE UNDERSTANDING, YOU KNOW. I SAW HOW YOU WERE WITH YOUR GIRLFRIEND.

YOU DO THIS FOR ME, I'LL PATCH UP THINGS BETWEEN YOU AND... MING WAS HER NAME?

YOU THINK YOU COULD CONVINCE HER?

YOU KIDDING? A LITTLE WOMAN-TO-WOMAN CHAT AND EVERYTHING'LL BE COOL.

WELL...

...I SUPPOSE A FEW MINUTES WOULDN'T HURT. BUT I MEAN A FEW MINUTES.

OKAY.

HELP ME WITH MY RELATIONSHIP, I'LL HELP YOU WITH YOURS.

MAN, I HOPE I DON'T REGRET THIS!

YES!

YOUR FRIENDS CAN BE TRUSTED, RIGHT? SEEING ME DO THIS?

YEAH, WE'RE USED TO KEEPING SECRETS FOR EACH OTHER.

JUBES, WHAT ARE YOU PLANNING?

JUST A LITTLE TRIP. AND NO, YOU GUYS CAN'T COME, SO DON'T ASK.

I DON'T WANT ANYBODY CRAMPING MY STYLE.

LET'S GO, ACCESS...



"...WE SHOULD
BE THERE
ALREADY!"



huh?



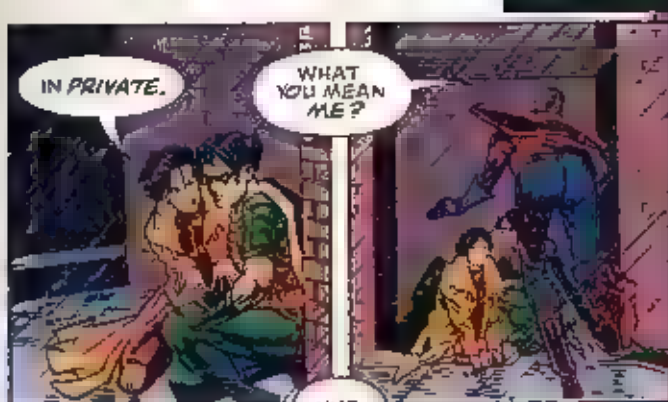
IT WAS LIKE, ALL THAT STUFF WE WENT THROUGH TOGETHER, HAVING TO FIGHT EACH OTHER AND ALL...

...AND WE NEVER SAID GOODBYE OR ANYTHING, SO HERE I AM.

YOU CAME... JUST TO SEE ME?

WOW.

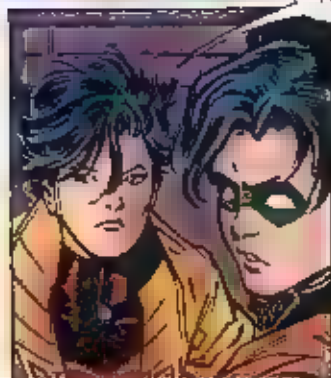




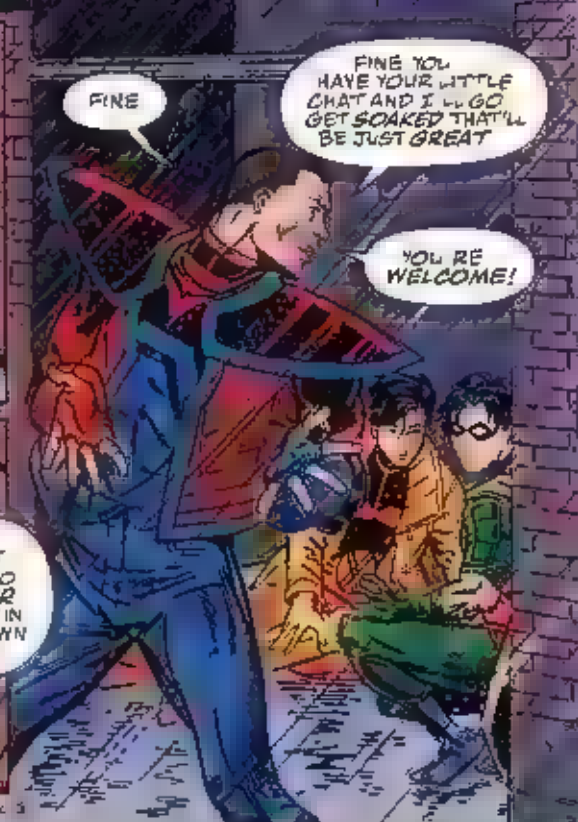
IN PRIVATE.

WHAT
YOU MEAN
ME?

YUP



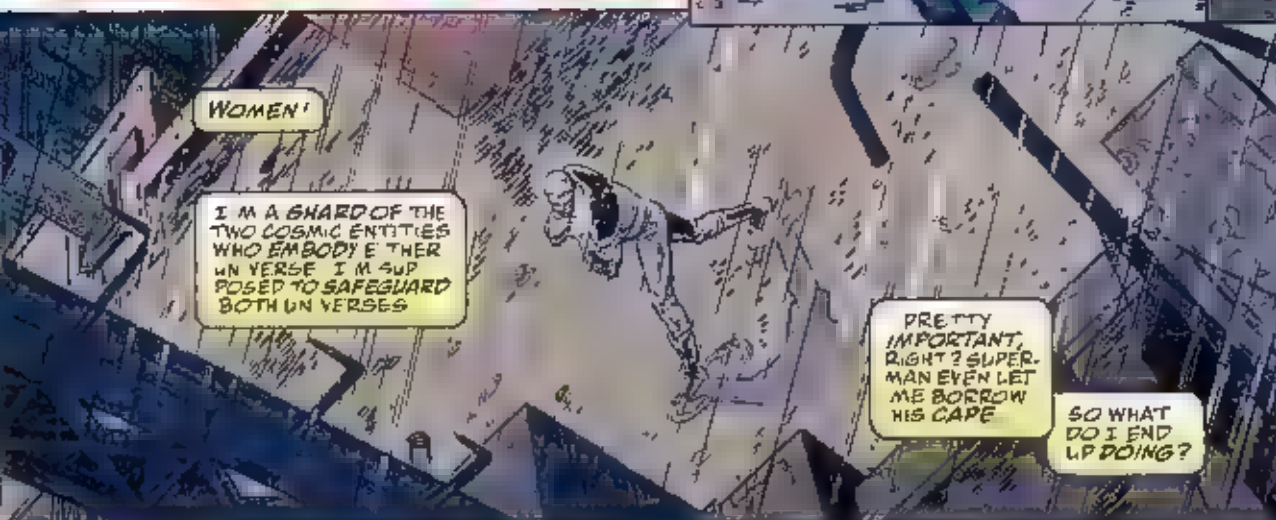
YOU
EXPECT
ME TO GO
WANDER
AROUND IN
THIS DOWN
POUR?



FINE

FINE YOU
HAVE YOUR LITTLE
CHAT AND I'LL GO
GET SOAKED THAT'LL
BE JUST GREAT

YOU'RE
WELCOME!



WOMEN!

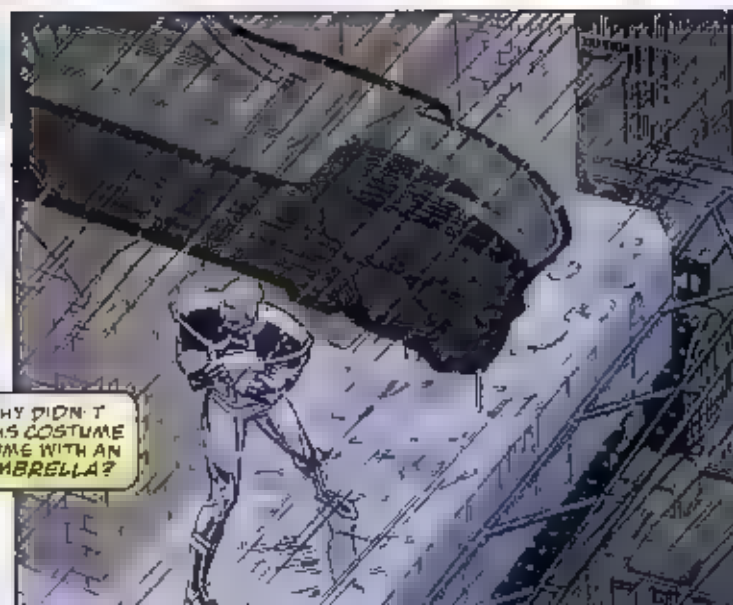
I'M A SHARD OF THE
TWO COSMIC ENTITIES
WHO EMBODY E THER
UNIVERSE I'M SUP
POSED TO SAFEGUARD
BOTH UNIVERSES

PRETTY
IMPORTANT,
RIGHT? SUPER-
MAN EVEN LET
ME BORROW
HIS CAPE

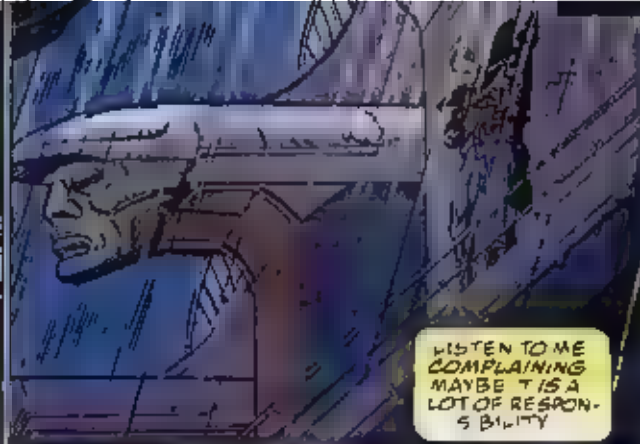
SO WHAT
DO I END
UP DOING?



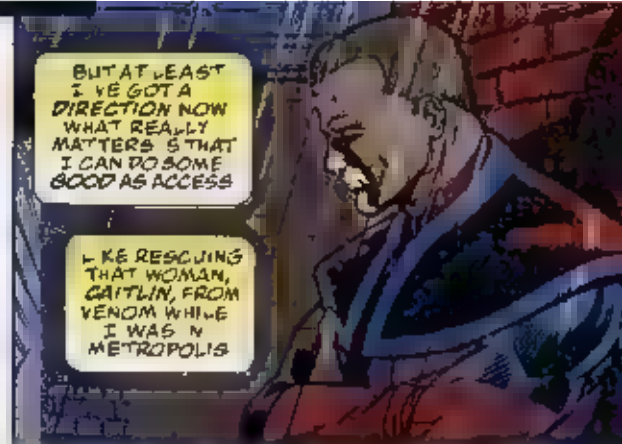
RUNNING
BETWEEN THE
RAINDROPS
SO A COUPLE
OF TEENAGERS
CAN HOLD
HANDS!



WHY DIDN'T
THIS COSTUME
COME WITH AN
UMBRELLA?



LISTEN TO ME
COMPLAINING
MAYBE T IS A
LOT OF RESPON-
SIBILITY



BUT AT LEAST
I'VE GOT A
DIRECTION NOW
WHAT REALLY
MATTERS IS THAT
I CAN DO SOME
GOOD AS ACCESS

LIKE RESCUING
THAT WOMAN,
CAITLIN, FROM
VENOM WHILE
I WAS IN
METROPOLIS



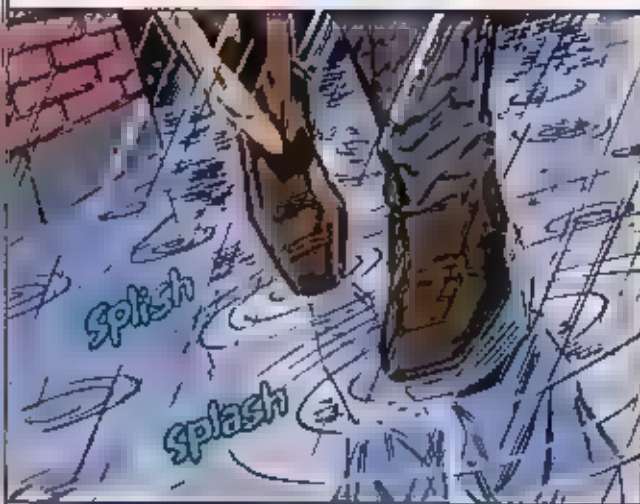
NOW THAT I THINK
ABOUT T, I SHOULD
PROBABLY GO SEE
HER AGAIN JUST TO
MAKE SURE
SHE'S OKAY
AND--



HELLO?

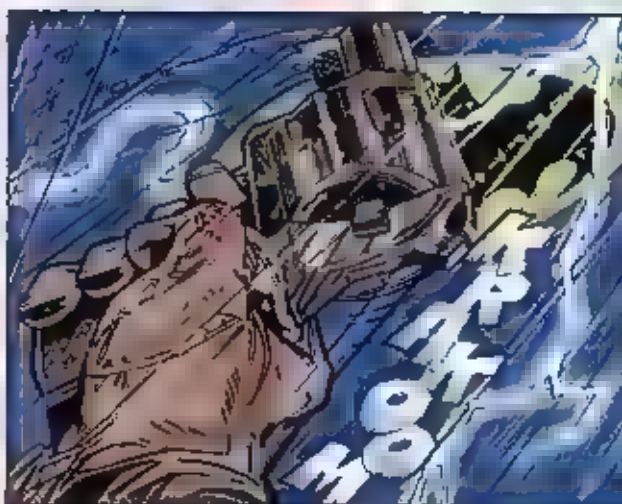
SOMEBODY
THERE?

COULD'VE
SWORN I
HEARD SOME-
THING BUT I
GUESS NOT



Splash

Splash

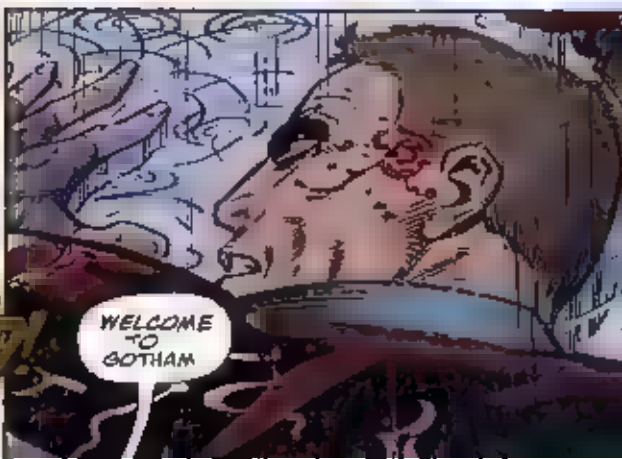


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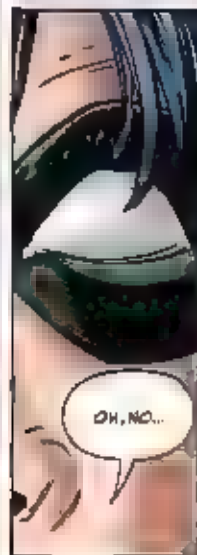
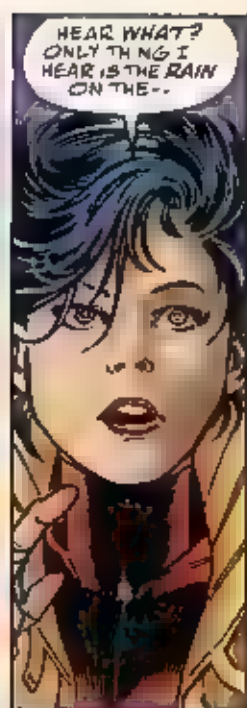


GHH!

KILL!



WELCOME
TO
GOTHAM





IT'S DANGEROUS

**TWO-
FACE!**



BATMAN'S
NOT AROUND,
BRAT?! OUT
ALL BY
YOURSELF?!



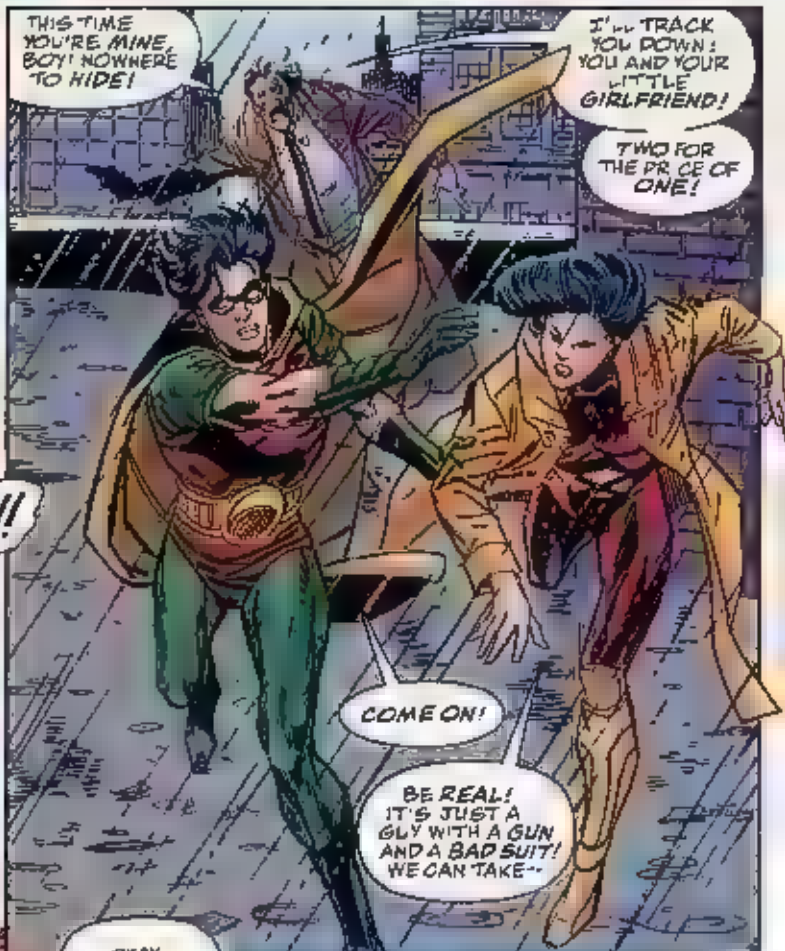
NOT
QUITE BY
HIMSELF,
UGUY!

AHH!

THIS TIME
YOU'RE MINE,
BOY! NOWHERE
TO HIDE!

I'LL TRACK
YOU DOWN!
YOU AND YOUR
LITTLE
GIRLFRIEND!

TWO FOR
THE PRICE OF
ONE!



COME ON!

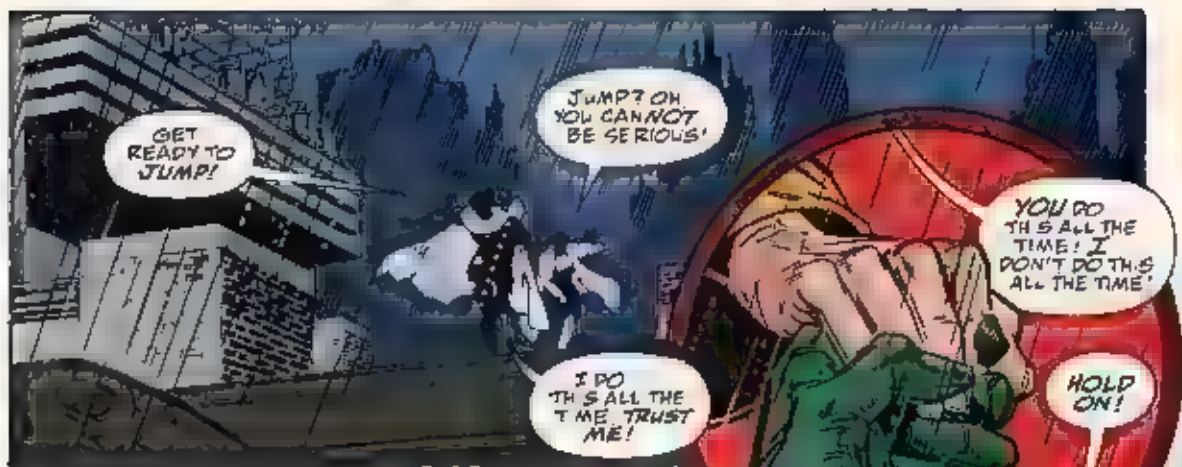
BE REAL!
IT'S JUST A
GUY WITH A GUN
AND A BAD SUIT!
WE CAN TAKE--

OKAY,
MAYBE WE
CAN'T



YOU DON'T
UNDERSTAND WHAT
HE IS. HIS FACE
MIGHT LOOK SCARRED,
BUT HIS MIND'S EVEN
MORE TWISTED.

AND HE'S GOT
A MAJOR ROBIN
F XATION!



THAT BOUGHT US
A MINUTE OR TWO
WHEN SOMETHING
LIKE THIS HAPPENS,
I'M SUPPOSED TO
CALL IN BATMAN
AND STAY PUT

BUT I CAN'T
JUST SIT ON THE SIDE-
LINES WHILE YOU'RE
AT RISK

I'M GOING TO
DO WHAT I CAN
AGAINST TWO-FACE
IT SHOULD GIVE YOU
ENOUGH TIME TO
GET OUT OF HERE

I DON'T DOUBT YOU
CAN TAKE CARE OF YOUR-
SELF JUBILEE, BUT THIS
IS TWO-FACE JEKYLL
AND HYDE ALL ROLLED
INTO ONE

AT LEAST I'VE
FACED HIM BEFORE,
WHICH GIVES ME A LOT
BETTER CHANCE THAN
YOU'D HAVE SO
PLEASE GO

FORGET IT I'M IN,
SO STOP TRYING TO
TALK ME OUT OF IT

MAYBE
WE CAN
GET HELP
FROM
THAT
ACCESS
GUY

YOU TOLD HIM
TO TAKE A HIKE
REMEMBER? WE
CAN'T WASTE
TIME TO TRY TO
FIND HIM WE'RE
ON OUR OWN

AS
IF!

WE'RE IN THIS
TOGETHER
NOT LIKE I'M
COMPLETELY
DEFENSELESS,
YOU KNOW

LISTEN
WE CAN'T GO UP
AGAINST TWO-
FACE ON NEUTRAL
GROUND. WHAT
WE NEED TO DO IS
FIGHT HIM ON OUR
BATTLEFIELD

BO?
LET'S GO
FOR IT

YOU'RE
GOING TO HAVE
TO TRUST ME
COMPLETELY

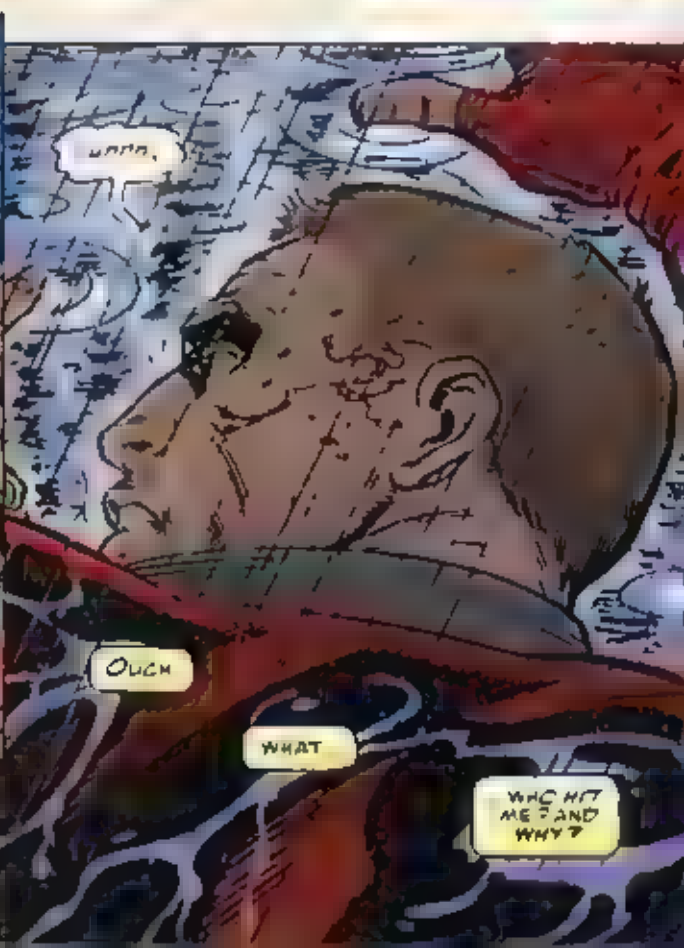
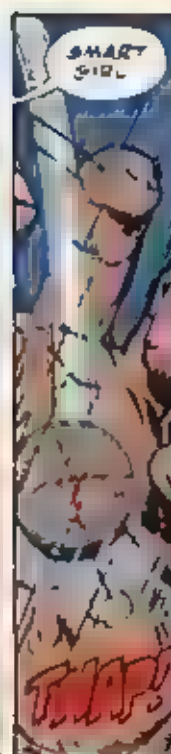
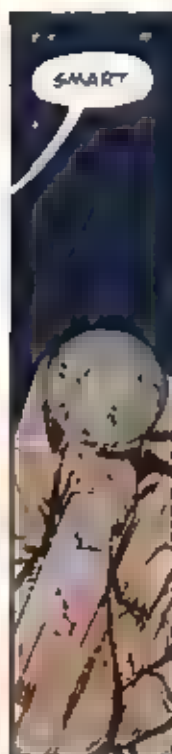
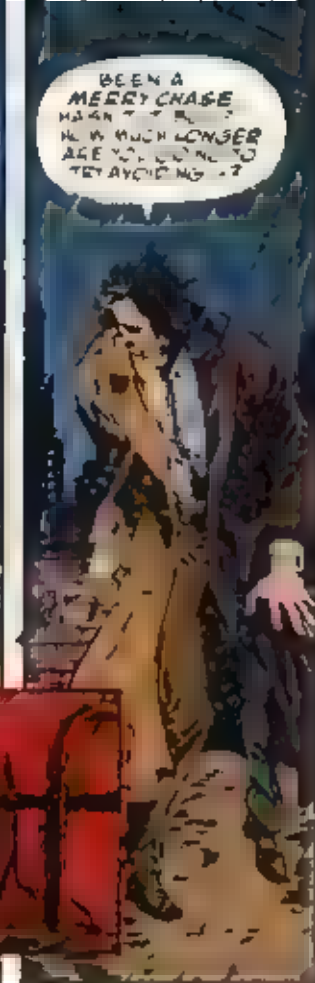
I TRUSTED
YOU ENOUGH
TO JUMP OFF A
BUILDING WITH
YOU, DIDN'T I?
WHAT'VE YOU
GOT IN MIND?

THAT'S SOME-
THING BATMAN
TAUGHT
ME: USE YOUR SURROUND-
INGS TO YOUR
ADVANTAGE

THE ONLY DEAL
I'VE GOT INVOLVES
A LOT OF RISK
ESPECIALLY
TO YOU

REMEMBER
HOW I
DEFEATED
YOU BACK AT
THE BALLOON
WAREHOUSE
2*







FITTING PLACE FOR A SHOWDOWN AT LEAST YOU HAVE A SENSE OF THE DRAMATIC.

BUT THEN SO DO I

IT'S PAYBACK TIME FOR ALL THE YEARS OF HUMILIATION



CAN'T YOU AT LEAST SAY SOMETHING?

WE'D LIKE A LITTLE CONVERSATION BEFORE WE KILL YOU!

C'MERE, BRAT! YOU'RE -

KRAK!



-NOT HIM.

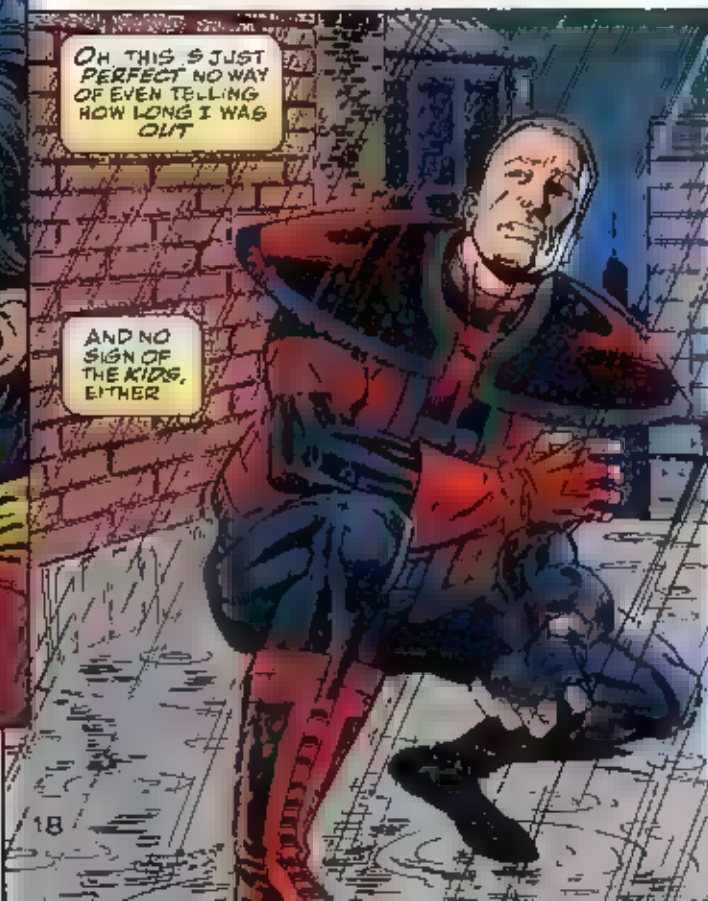
NOPE

A TRICK

ANOTHER ONE OF HIS TRICKS!

OH THIS IS JUST PERFECT NO WAY OF EVEN TELLING HOW LONG I WAS OUT

AND NO SIGN OF THE KIDS, EITHER






NO MORE
DOUBLES, NO
MORE TRICKS.
JUST THE TWO OF
US, THIS TIME...

SOMETHING'S WRONG.
I CAN FEEL IT.

I NEED TO FIND ROBIN AND
JUBILEE, MAKE SURE THEY
HAVEN'T GOTTEN THEMSELVES
INTO ANY TROUBLE.







NO ONE
IS SAFE...
DON'T EVEN
BOTHER. NO
ONE ESCAPES
THE STING
OF--

--THE
SCORPION!

HERE
WE GO
AGAIN...

NEXT:
BATMAN
AND
DOCTOR
STRANGE